

said wetting agent is present and in a proportion of up to 50% by weight of pure surfactant;

said solvent is present and in a proportion of up to 99.5% by weight;

the mixture having a concentration of pure emulsion-breaking and the pure surfactant of 0.01 to 50 g per 100 ml of said organic base.

3. (Amended) A formulation according to claim 1, wherein said emulsion-breaking agent comprises at least one non-ionic amphiphilic composition obtained by reacting polymerized linseed oil with diethanolamine.

4. (Amended) A formulation according to claim 1, wherein said emulsion-breaking agent comprises at least a mixture of methyl esters of rapeseed oil.

5. (Amended) A formulation according to claim 1, wherein said wetting agent is present and is a sodium dialkyl sulfosuccinate.

6. (Amended) A formulation according to claim 1, wherein said solvent is present and selected from petroleum cuts, alcohols and hydroalcoholic mixtures, alkyl esters of long chain carboxylic acids and compositions of alkyl esters of fatty acids derived from vegetable oils.

7. (Amended) A formula according to claim 2, wherein said solvent is a mixture of methyl esters of rapeseed oil.

8. (Amended) A formula according to claim 1, wherein said organic base is a mineral oil or an oil of vegetable origin.

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10. (Amended) A formulation according to claim 8, wherein said oil is of vegetable origin and is a mixture of methyl esters of rapeseed oil.

11. (Amended) A formulation according to claim 1, wherein when the formulation is used to treat well bores drilled in oil-base mud, the organic base of said formulation is an oil identical to that of the mud.

12. (Amended) A formulation according to claim 1, further comprising 1% to 10% by weight with respect to the organic base of at least one viscosifying agent for the organic medium and a quantity, determined according to the specific density required for the fluid, of at least one weighting agent.

13. (Amended) A formulation according to claim 12, characterized in that the viscosifying agent comprises at least one cross-linked organosoluble acrylic resin.

14. (Amended) A formulation according to claim 12, wherein said weighting agent comprises a mass of particulate calcium carbonate.

15. (Amended) A formulation according to claim 12, further comprising up to 5% by weight with respect to the organic base, of at least one dispersing agent.

16. (Amended) A formulation according to claim 15, wherein said dispersing agent is selected from hydroxy-functionalized carboxylic acid esters the functional groups of which have affinities with the pigments used in paint formulations.

17. (Amended) In the treatment of a well bore drilled in an oil-base mud, the step of adding an emulsion-breaking formulation in an organic base according to claim 1.

18. (Amended) In any step of drilling or treating a well that requires a fluid having the same density as the mud used to drill the well bore, the step of adding an emulsion-breaking formulation in an organic base according to claim 12.

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Please add the following new claims:

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--19. A method of breaking an emulsion comprising adding to the emulsion a composition according to claim 1.